MEDIA ADVISORY



Today's Date: Aug. 24, 2015

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Innovation Awards contest challenges Californians to "Find a New Way," win up to \$25K

WHAT: Press conference to kick off the Innovation Awards contest, which seeks creative

solutions from the public to improve the safety, efficiency and delivery of services. Each of the three participating departments will pay citizens up to \$25,000 for

winning entries.

WHO: Assm. Mike Gatto, author of Assembly Bill 2138, which created the contest

Malcolm Dougherty, Caltrans Director

Timothy Gorsuch, Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control Director

Daniel C. Kim, Department of General Services Director

WHEN: 1 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 25

WHERE: State Capitol, Governor's Press Conference Room 1190

ONLINE: Follow the Twitter hashtag #25KFindANewWay.